

Amendment No. 1 to HB3509

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 3788*

House Bill No. 3509

By adding the following new sections to precede the effective date section:

SECTION _____. Tennessee Code Annotated,, Section 39-17-1311(b)(1), is amended by adding the following language as new, appropriately designated subdivisions:

(H) Any person in possession of a handgun while within the boundaries of any state park, if such person is duly authorized to carry the handgun pursuant to the provisions of §§ 39-17-1358.

(I) Any person in possession of a handgun while within the boundaries of any federal park in this state, if such person is duly authorized to carry the handgun pursuant to the provisions of §§ 39-17-1351-39-17-1358, and the federal government authorizes possession of handguns in federal parks.

SECTION _____. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1359, is amended by adding the following language as new, appropriately designated subsections:

(e) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit any person from possessing a handgun while within the boundaries of any state park, if such person is duly authorized to carry the handgun pursuant to the provisions of §§ 39-17-1351 - 39-17-1358.

(f) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit any person from possessing a handgun while within the boundaries of any federal park in this state, if such person is duly authorized to carry the handgun pursuant to the provisions of §§ 39-17-1351-39-17-1358, and the federal government authorizes possession of handguns in federal parks.

SECTION _____. Notwithstanding the provisions of any law to the contrary, neither the department of environment and conservation nor any other entity of state or local government

shall prohibit any person from possessing a handgun while within the boundaries of any state park, if such person is duly authorized to carry the handgun pursuant to the provisions of §§ 39-17-1351 - 39-17-1358, or in any federal park in this state, if such person is duly authorized to carry the handgun pursuant to the provisions of §§ 39-17-1351 - 39-17-1358 and the federal government authorizes possession of handguns in federal parks.